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INTERVIEW SUMMARY

Sir:

Pursuant to the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.133 and MPEP § 713.04, Applicant submits this Interview Summary. This Interview Summary is a summary of the in-person interview between Examiner Lesperance and John C. Alemanni, Assignee's representative, on November 10, 2003. Assignee respectfully requests that this Interview Summary be entered into the record of the above-referenced application.

During the interview, pending independent claims 1, 11, and 31 were discussed. The specific prior art reference discussed was U.S. Patent No. 6,199,587 to Shlomi, et al.

Assignee's representative presented a proposed amendment to claim 1, adding a limitation wherein the elastic material is "configured to limit a range of motion of said

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magnet." Assignee's representative argued that the limitations present in claims 11 and 31 are not disclosed by Shlomi, *et al.* The Examiner stated that he thought further structure should be added to claim 1 and a further search may need to be completed in relation to claim 1. The Examiner suggested that "further explanation" be added to claims 11 and 31 to make the flexible member element more specific.

The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned by telephone to discuss any matter related to the Application and this Interview Summary.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: 12/9/2003

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith are copies of the following document(s) for filing in the above-identified application:

Amendment and Response to Final Office Action **Interview Summary** Information Disclosure Statement Form PTO/SB/08A with 2 cited references

Shown below are the fees for the presentation of the amended claims:

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency to Deposit Account Number 16-1435. A duplicate of this transmittal is attached for that purpose.

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